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For: **METHODS FOR TREATING IL-18 MEDIATED DISORDERS**
Docket No.: **3086-US-CNT**

ATTORNEY'S STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.821(e)

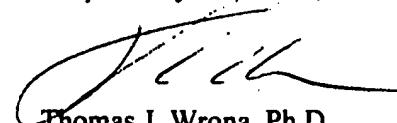
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Sir:

The computer readable form in this application is identical with that filed in Application Serial No. 09/981,421, filed October 17, 2001. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included herewith.

In addition, I hereby state that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing in this application and the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing submitted in the parent case are the same and contains no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attorney Docket No.: 3086-US-CNT

Anticipated Classification Of This Application:
Class: Subclass:

Prior Application:
Examiner: D. Jiang

Art Unit: 1646

To the Commissioner for Patents:

This is a request for filing a continuation divisional continuation-in-part application, under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/981,421 filed on October 17, 2001,

of John E. Sims, Kendal M. Mohler and Teresa L. Born

for METHODS FOR TREATING IL-18 MEDIATED DISORDERS

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPLNs only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 1b, below, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

1. Transmitted herewith are:

- 32 pages of specification, 2 pages of claim(s) and 1 page of abstract, totaling 35 pages.
 5 sheet(s) of drawings.
 2 pages of Oath or Declaration by the applicant(s):
 a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional appns. only)
 13 pages of Sequence Listing; computer readable copy (identical to paper copy); sequence statement.

2. The filing fee is calculated below:

For	Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	15	- 20 =	0	x \$50.00 =	\$ 0.00
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3. Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0089, in the name of Immunex Corporation, in the amount of \$1,000.00. An original and one copy are enclosed.
4. Throughout the prosecution of this application, if any extension of time is necessary, please consider this a request therefore.
5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees which may be required by the accompanying application, any additional fees which may be required during pendency of this application as required by 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0089 throughout the prosecution of this application.
6. Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)

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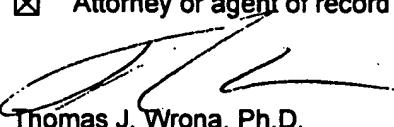
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7. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. (May only be used if signed by person authorized by § 1.138 and before payment of base issue fee.)
- 7a. New formal drawings are enclosed.
8. Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 USC 119.
- 8a. The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. _____ filed _____.
9. The prior application is assigned of record to IMMUNEX CORPORATION.
10. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
11. Also enclosed: Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail; Application Data Sheet, Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO-1449, Courtesy copy of Extension of Time for parent application; Postcard.
12. Other: _____
13. The power of attorney in the prior application is to: IMMUNEX CORPORATION
- a. The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
 - b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
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